

I am an avid supporter of XM radio and the programing that they offer and I do make use of their programing of traffic for the Washington DC area as I commute 90 minutes one way to work and back every day. Because of the traffic mess that exists in the DC area it is necessary to obtain on the minute updates that I receive from XM's local service instead of wasted time listening to commercials and other junk just to receive a half minute of traffic reports that are noncomperhensive. Additionally, I pay for the radio that I listen to every month and would find it an impairment of my 1st ammendment rights to have these service that I pay for taken away. I implore you and the other members of congress to vote NO the NAB's petition 04-160 and send the message to them that they need to improve to compete with our world's ever changing environment.